

United States District Court
District of North Dakota

District Historical Committee Report of Activities and Finances
July 2020

The district's historical committee is working on oral history interviews of district judges and magistrate judges. An interview of Senior District Judge Patrick A. Conmy was completed in 2019, and interviews of Senior District Judge Daniel L. Hovland, Judge Ralph R. Erickson (now an 8th Circuit judge), Magistrate Judge Karen K. Klein (retired) and Magistrate Judge Charles S. Miller (retired) will be completed in 2020. The district's Federal Practice Committee has approved a request for \$5,200 from the district's non-appropriated fund to cover the costs of a videographer.

The committee is inventorying items of historical importance that may be stored in various locations in the district's courthouses and discussing possible display of those items. The committee continues to discuss publishing the district's history and preparing a brief history of the district for posting on the district's public website.

The treasurer's financial statement is attached. Excluding the funds to be transferred from the non-appropriated fund, the committee's account balance totaled \$2,059.08 as of June 12, 2020.

Committee members include Courtney Koebele, Katie Bertsch, Suzanne Morrison, Steve Lamb, and Alice Senechal. Lori A. Haberer, of the clerk's office, serves as secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

Alice R. Senechal
U.S. Magistrate Judge